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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 10, 1999,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on Page 7 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 10 of this paper.